

GRAND CONCERT IN AID OF THE GOVERNMENT!

THE Handel and Haydn Society,

IN CONNECTION WITH THE

Philharmonic Orchestra and the Germania Band.

Being desirous of contributing something toward the preservation of our common country in this our day of trial, will give a

**CONCERT OF MISCELLANEOUS, PATRIOTIC AND NATIONAL MUSIC,
ON SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 27, 1861,
AT THE BOSTON MUSIC HALL,**

The Directors of which have in the most generous manner placed it at our disposal for this purpose.

MRS. LONG, MRS. HARWOOD, MRS. KEMPTON, MR. POWERS,

Have each volunteered their valuable services for this patriotic occasion.

The ENTIRE PROCEEDS will be handed over to the Governor of the Commonwealth, for the purpose of arming and equipping troops in the service of the country.

PROGRAMME.

PART I.

1. FINALE, from Beethoven's C minor Symphony, ORCHESTRA.
2. CHORUS : "O Father, whose almighty power," from Judas Maccabeus, HANDEL.
3. SONG : "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," Mrs. Long.
4. "THE PATRIOT'S MARCH," HEINICKE.
Germania Band.
5. SONG AND CHORUS : "Rule Columbia,"
[Music composed expressly for this occasion, by B. AUGUSTO.]
Mrs. Harwood.

Rise ye sons of old Columbia !
Gather to your Country's call,
On your arms no longer slumber ;
Rise to help her, one and all !
Cast away each feud and faction ;
Brood not over wrong nor ill ;
Rouse your virtues into action,
For we love our country still.
Hail Columbia ! raise that thrilling shout once more.
Rule Columbia ! conquer over sea and shore.

See upreared our Holy Standard !
Crowd around it gallant hearts !
What ! Columbia's fame be slander'd
As by fault on our parts ?
Let the cruel tyrants threaten ;
Let the mad invaders come ;
Fly to battle, what if beaten ?
We can die for friends and home !
Hail Columbia ! raise that thrilling shout once more.
Rule Columbia ! conquer over sea and shore.

6. "HAIL COLUMBIA,"
Band and Chorus.

PART II.

1. ARIA : "Armi, arm, ye brave,"
CHORUS : "We come in bright array," } HANDEL.
Mr. Powers and Chorus.
2. SONG : "Viva la America," S. HARRISON MILLARD.
Mrs. Kempton.
3. HURRAH STORM GALLOP, KELER BELA.
Germania Band.
4. SONG : "The Standard bearer," LINDPAINTER.
Mr. P. H. Powers.
5. CHORUS : "We hear, &c." from Judas Maccabeus, HANDEL.
6. "THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER,"
Mrs. Long and Chorus.
7. "AMERICA,"

[The audience is respectfully requested to rise and unite with the Chorus, Orchestra and Band, in singing this national Hymn.]

1 My country ! 'tis of thee,
Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing ;
Land where my fathers died,
Land of the Pilgrim's pride,
From every mountain side
Let freedom ring.

2 My native country, thee,
Land of the noble free,
Thy name I love :
I love thy rocks and rills,
Thy woods and templed hills ;
My heart with rapture thrills,
Like that above.

3 Let music swell the breeze,
And ring from all the trees,
Sweet freedom's song :
Let mortal tongues awake,
Let all that breathe partake ;
Let rocks their silence break,
The sound prolong.

4 Our fathers' God, to thee,
Author of Liberty,
To thee we sing ;
Long may our land be bright,—
With freedom's holy light ;
Protect us by thy might,—
Great God, our King.

Carl Zerrahn, Conductor.

B. J. Lang, Organist.

Tickets to all parts of the house, 50 cents each.
Doors open at 7..... Concert to commence at 7½ o'clock.

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